

Exceptional widescreen. Slim, light design.

WELL-BALANCED DESIGN.

The VAIO® FS Notebook combines a full-size workspace and powerful performance with the slim, lightweight design a mobile user demands. With integrated 802.11 b/g wireless LAN³, the VAIO® FS Notebook is an ideal solution for your everyday essential computing needs and growing multimedia entertainment demands.

ESSENTIAL COMPUTING PERFORMANCE USING INTEL® CENTRINO MOBILE TECHNOLOGY.

The VAIO® FS Notebook is optimized for mobility and designed with your day-to-day computing applications in mind. With an Intel® Pentium® M processor, ample storage, and an impressive suite of integrated productivity and multimedia entertainment tools, your VAIO® FS Notebook is ready to help you power through your day and entertain you when you're done. The VAIO® FS Notebook is a "Windows Vista™ Capable" PC.

NEXT-GENERATION MULTIMEDIA ENTERTAINMENT.

The VAIO® FS Notebook is your passport to mobile multimedia entertainment, making it quick and easy to create, manage and enjoy your digital photos, movies, and music. It's high-definition camcorder video ready, and with Sony's original Click to DVD® software, high-quality presentation of your digital video content is surprisingly easy. SonicStage® software is the only tool you need to manage your music files and make your own CDs.

MESSAGING

Thin and lightweight, but powerful for your everyday computing.

Enjoy thrilling graphics and DVDs with a 15.4" widescreen¹¹ with XBRITE-ECO™ technology.

Burn DVDs and CDs with integrated DVD±R Double Layer/DVD±RW drive⁴.

The VAIO® FS Notebook has an incredibly well-balanced design. It's slim and lightweight, yet provides an exceptional 15.4" widescreen display¹¹ with Sony's original XBRITE-ECO™ LCD technology and Smart Display Sensor. Plus, it delivers powerful performance for your everyday essential computing needs and growing multimedia entertainment demands.



Click to DVD



MEMORY STICK PRO



DVD+ReWritable



VGN-FS990

VAIO® FS Series Notebook PC

Specifications

General

Computer Type: Notebook
Type of Use: Portable
Action Buttons: Wireless LAN on/off
Keyboard: QWERTY, 86 keys with 2.5mm stroke and 19.05mm pitch
Pointing Device: Electro-Static touch pad

Processor

Type: Intel® Pentium® M Processor 740
Speed: 1.73GHz¹
Front Side Bus Speed: 533MHz
L2 Cache: 2MB

Memory

Type: DDR2
Installed: 1GB (PC2-4200)
Maximum: 2GB
Speed: 533MHz

Hard Drive

Capacity: 100GB²
Speed: 4200rpm
Interface: Ultra ATA

Optical Drive #1

DVD+R DL Write: 4x max.
DVD+R Write: 8x max.
DVD+RW Write: 8x max.
DVD-R Write: 8x max.
DVD-RW Write: 6x max.
CD-R Write: 24x max.
CD-RW Write: 24x max.
DVD±RW: Yes⁴
CD Read: 24x max.
DVD Read: 8x max.
DVD-R DL Write: 4x max.

Expansion Slots

Multimedia Card Reader: Supports Optional Memory Stick®, Memory Stick PRO™ and Memory Stick DUO™ media with MagicGate® functionality
PCMCIA - Type II/Type I card slot with CardBus support

Audio

Sound System: Windows® sound system compatible with Built-in stereo speakers

Display

Screen or Display Technology: WXGA LCD
Screen Size: 15.4"¹¹
Resolution: 1280 x 800
XBRITE-ECO™ Technology: Yes

Graphics

Processor: Intel® Graphics Media Accelerator 900
Video RAM: 128MB Dynamically Shared (RAM/Video) Memory
Chipset: Intel® 915GM
Interface: VGA Out with Smart Display Sensor

Inputs and Outputs

Headphone Jack: 1
i.LINK® Interface: 1(4-pin) interface⁶

Memory Stick® Media Slot: 1
Microphone Input: 1 (Monaural mini-jack)
USB Port(s): 2 (2.0 compliant)
VGA Output(s): 1

Networking/Modem

Ethernet Protocol: Fast Ethernet (RJ-45)
Ethernet Speed: 10Base-T/100Base-TX
Modem Type: Integrated V.92/V.90 Modem (RJ-11)
Wireless LAN: Intel® PRO/Wireless 2200BG (IEEE 802.11b/g³)

Power

Battery Type: Lithium-ion Battery (VGP-BPS2A)
Estimated Battery Life: 3.0-3.5 hours⁷ (Standard Battery)
Power Requirements: 110W+10%

Software

Operating System: Microsoft® Windows® XP Home Edition with SP2
Internet Services: America Online® 180-Day Trial - New Users Only
Anti-Virus and Recovery Software: Norton® Internet Security™ 60-Day Subscription
TrendMicro™ Anti-Spyware 30-Day Trial
Iolo® System Mechanic - 30-Day Trial
VAIO® Security Center
VAIO® Update software
VAIO® Recovery Wizard software
VAIO® Support Central
Supplied Software: Intuit® Quicken® 2006 New User Edition (previous Quicken users may require additional upgrade)
InterVideo® WinDVD®
Microsoft® Works 8.5 with 60-Day Trial Version of Microsoft® Office 2003¹⁰
60-Day Trial Version of Microsoft® Digital Image Starter Edition 2006¹²
Roxio® DigitalMedia SE
Sony® Original Software: Click to DVD® - DVD Creation
DVgate Plus™ - Digital Video
SonicStage® - Digital Music
VAIO Media™ - Network File Sharing
Image Converter - PSP™ Transfer
60-minute Trial Version of Wheel of Fortune®
60-minute Trial Version of Jeopardy®
Underworld - Pre-installed movie

Service and Warranty Information

Telephone Support: 1 year toll-free technical telephone assistance, available 24/7⁹
Limited Warranty and Onsite Service: 1 Year Limited Warranty with Onsite Service⁸
Online and Email Support: Support available from <http://www.esupport.sony.com>

Dimensions

Weight: 5.96 lbs. with standard battery (weight is approximate and may vary)
Measurements: 14.33"(W) x 1"-1.43"(H) x 10.41"(D)

Supplied Accessories

Standard Lithium-ion battery (VGP-BPS2A)
AC adapter (VGP-AC19V11)
Power Cord

Optional Accessories

Large Capacity Battery (VGP-BPL2)
Additional Standard Capacity Battery (VGP-BPS2)

AC Adapter (VGP-AC19V10)
Wireless Presentation Mouse (VGP-WMS50)
USB Mobile Mouse (VGP-UMS50)
Sport Backpack (VGP-AMB2)
Neoprene Notebook & AC Adapter (VGP-AMC3)
Large Carrying Case (VGP-AMB5)
Battery Charger (VGP-BC1)
Memory Card Adapter⁵ (VGP-MCA10)
512MB Memory Expansion Module (VGP-MM512L)

Color: White

UPC Code: 027242696839

1. GHz denotes microprocessor internal clock speed; other factors may affect application performance. CPU speed will be reduced under certain operating conditions.
2. GB means one billion bytes when referring to hard drive capacity. Accessible capacity may vary. A portion of hard disk space is reserved as a recovery partition.
3. Requires compatible wireless LAN access point, sold separately. Internet connection may require fees.
4. DVD Media/Formats are not universally compatible.
5. Supports Memory Stick PRO™ high-capacity media tested up to 1GB. Does not support MagicGate® functionality.
6. i.LINK is a trademark of Sony used only to designate that a product contains an IEEE 1394 connector. All products with an i.LINK connector may not communicate with each other.
7. Estimated battery life. Actual battery life may vary on usage.
8. When available, Sony will provide Onsite Service in fulfillment of its limited warranty obligations. Any such services are subject to the terms and conditions of the limited warranty. See actual Limited Warranty for details. Onsite Service will be provided via third-party technician to be dispatched as needed following phone-based troubleshooting. Some repairs may be accomplished with self repair kits. Onsite Service may not be available in all locations.
9. For certain third party software applications, Sony provides first level Phone Support. Additional telephone support may be available from the applicable 3rd party vendor. Availability and schedule for any such support is determined by the applicable software vendor.
10. The Microsoft Office 2003 60-Day Trial software is intended for evaluation purposes only. This trial software is installed on your system and you must activate the software before you can use it. Product activation procedures will be detailed during initial launch of the software; activation requires Internet access. This software has an expiration date of 60 days from date of first use, at which time the software will operate under reduced-functionality mode, limiting end-use options and operations.
11. Viewable area measured diagonally.
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